

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Tiziano BROMBIN Conf. no.: 1698  
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For : A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STERILIZING CONTAINERS OF  
PLASTIC MATERIAL AND FOR FILLING THEM WITH LIQUID SUBSTANCES

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 19, 2009, please amend the application as follows: